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SUBJ: ECONADS: AGENDA FOR SEPTEMBER 4, 1975 ECONOMIC COMMITTEE

MEETING AT NATO

REF: (A) USNATO 4039; (B) USNATO 4073

I. APPROVAL OF DECISION SHEETS

REF: AC/127-R/474 (ECONADS MEETING OF JULY 17, 1975)

AC/127-R/475 (ECONADS MEETING OF JULY 31, 1975)

-- NO FURTHER GUIDANCE REQUIRED EXCEPT ON PROPOSED WORK PROGRAM
(ITEM IX, REF A., AND REF B.).

II. EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION.

(A) ECONOMIC ASPECTS OF EAST/WEST VISITS

(B) ACTIVITIES OF THE JOINT COMMISSIONS FOR ECONOMIC
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COOPERATION.

THIS ITEM PLACED ON AGENDA AFTER SUGGESTION BY CANADIAN DEL AT
JULY 31 ECONADS MEETING THAT COMMITTEE MEMBERS, AT REGULAR

INTERVALS, PERHAPS MONTHLY, EXCHANGE INFORMATION AND OBSERVATIONS REPORTED BY THEIR RESPECTIVE NATIONAL AUTHORITIES AND DIPLOMATIC REPS ON EAST-WEST VISITS AND OTHER CONTACTS WITH OFFICIALS OF WARSAW PACT COUNTRIES, AS IN PRACTICE IN POLANDS. ON ACTIVITIES OF EAST-WEST JOINT ECONOMIC COMMISSIONS, CANADIAN DEL BELIEVED IT WORTH WHILE TO ENCOURAGE MORE REGULAR REPORTING AND DISCUSSION IN ECONADS ON THESE BODIES. WE BELIEVE U.S. SHOULD SUPPORT HEIGHTENED AND MORE REGULAR DISCUSSION ON THESE ITEMS, BOTH OF WHICH WELL WITHIN SCOPE OF ECONADS. REQUEST DEPARTMENT'S VIEWS.

III. REVIEW OF COMMUNICATIONS ISSUED BY SITUATION CENTER OF INTEREST IN ECONOMIC FIELD.

REFS: AS(75)135 - RESHUFFLE OF RESPONSIBILITIES
FOR CONSTRUCTION OF ORENBURG NATURAL GAS PIPELINE

AS(75)134 - ANALYSIS OF SOVIET INTERSEA WATERWAY
SYSTEM AND ITS RECENT EXPANSION

AS(75)130 - EASTERN EUROPE: EFFECT OF FLOODS
ON HARVEST PROSPECTS: PURPOSE OF THIS AGENDA IS TO DRAW ATTENTION TO SITCEN DOCUMENTATION AND NATO-WIDE COMMUNICATIONS NET AND TO IMPROVE AWARENESS OF THESE IN ALLIED CAPITALS AS WELL AS WITHIN NATO HEADQUARTERS WHERE RECENT EXPERIENCE HAS SHOWN THAT AVAILABLE CURRENT MATERIALS OF THIS KIND DO NOT ALWAYS REACH POTENTIALLY INTERESTED MEMBERS OF ALLIED DELS AND SECRETARIAT.
FIRST TWO DOCUMENTS WERE ORIGINATED BY USG; THUS NO GUIDANCE REQUIRED ON EITHER, ALTHOUGH WE WOULD WELCOME ANY ADDITIONAL MATERIAL FOR USE HERE ON EITHER TOPIC. DOCUMENT ON EASTERN EUROPEAN FLOODS WAS ORIGINATED BY CANADIAN AUTHORITIES: WE HAVE ALREADY CIRCULATED INR NO. 36 (HEAVY RAINS SHARPLY CUT EAST EUROPEAN GRAIN PRODUCTION), PER STATE 183605, AND HAVE MADE CONTENTS OF BUCHAREST'S 3418, 3422, 3310 AND A-142 (PER BUCHARES 3803) AVAILABLE TO ECONOMIC DIRECTORATE WHICH WE UNDERSTAND IS PREPARING PAPER
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ON SUBJECT. NO FURTHER GUIDANCE REQUIRED AT THIS TIME.

IV. ORGANIZATION OF THE YUGOSLAV ECONOMY

DOCUMENT: ED/EC/75/57 - PRELIMINARY REVIEW OF DRAFT
REPORT TO COUNCIL - SEE USNATO 4569. REQUEST GUIDANCE.

V. SUMMARY REPORT ON THE ECONOMY OF GDR, HUNGARY AND CSSR.
REF: AC/127-WP/439 - GUIDANCE REQUESTED USNATO 4568.

VI. SUMMARY REPORT ON COMMUNIST AID TO THIRD WORLD
REF: AC/127-WP/438 (NATO SECRET) - GUIDANCE
REQUESTED USNATO 4583.

VII. PRESS REVIEW

REF: ED/EC/75/56; ED/EC/75/58; ED/EC/75/59 - NO
GUIDANCE REQUIRED.

VIII. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

MISSION WILL RAISE MATTER OF ALLIES CONTINUING TO COLLECT
DATA ON NATIONAL BASIS REGARDING THEIR RESPECTIVE MILITARY-
RELATED PURCHASES FROM U.S., AS PROPOSED IN USNATO 4138 AND
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